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Endsley

525 Dyer St  
Waco, Texas  
August 29, 1988

Dear Jean Strickland:

I'm writing you this letter to see if I could  
get any information from you on my Grandfather  
& Grandmother:

my Grandfather Name. Thomas Leroy Endsley.

(born) November 15, 1892

(from) Birmingham Alabama.

Grandmother:

Ester Virginia Endsley. (Wood) before <sup>she</sup> married:

Born Nov. 5, 1884

Marietta Georgia. also heard she was from  
Berry Mt. Alabama. I'm sure she came from  
Georgia.

Thomas Leroy Endsley was married ~~once~~  
twice. He had two sons by first wife  
he left her, when the boy's was small  
children don't know how old. Then he meet  
Ester Virginia Wood. He married her.

I would like to know about Thomas Leroy  
first marriage his two sons. Grandpa had  
two brothers & two sisters. also

Ester Wood. Had. two brothers & three sisters.

If you have date's when (all) both sides  
I'd take any information you have you but

know how much I would appreciate it.  
I'm a cousin to Laveren Secker. That made  
research on the Strickland family I got a lot  
of information from her on Strickland side.  
~~Her~~ Laveren's Husband, (Billy Carl Secker.)  
His Mother Lois Secker is my father's sister.  
she lives in Cliburne Texas ~~she~~ is Laveren Secker  
gave me her address for information

on the paper she gave me I notice there about  
the Stovalls. My oldest sister married  
Cecil Stovall. I seen where some one in  
California was looking for some Stovall's.

In this Stovall family I know:

|      |                   |             |
|------|-------------------|-------------|
|      | Frank Stovall     | (father)    |
| Born | 1856              | (died 1943) |
|      | Cleopatra Stovall | (mother)    |
| Born | 1873              | (died 1941) |

Children Name:

(son) William Frank Stovall.

(Born) May 26, 1903

died March 21, 1955

(wife) Minnie Ore Stovall (Born April 11, 1901)

~~Born~~ (Died) Nov. 7, 1982

They had one (son) Don Stovall.

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Arty Stovall  
(Husband) Elbert Holmes.  
son. Howard Leon Holmes.  
Born March 24 1917

Mountain Peak. ~~Wapak~~ Wapakachie was Ellis County  
Howard's Holmes Mother died when he was  
a baby. wasn't very old. He does not remember  
his mother.

Howard has wife and 5 children  
8 grandchildren. If you want names let me  
know.

Howard Holmes married my sister  
Violet Strickland.

Married Nora Stovall  
Carl Holmes.

Cecil Stovall Born " " 1915  
Cleo Strickland:  
Cleo. is my oldest (sister)

(Husband) Sara Stovall  
Charles Haney.

Married Mary Stovall  
" Brumallo.

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Maggie Parlee Stovall  
Joe E Brown

Feb. 17, 1881  
Jan. 7, 1881

Martha Ann Stovall  
Tom Traylor.

Two other boys

Jim Stovall and J. D. Stovall.

The Martha Stovall that I have here, I don't know where she been married twice or not. ~~she was~~ She is pass 100 yrs. old. there is not much difference in her and Maggie Stovall. (Brown) age. Mrs Brown would be about 107 yrs old. If she was living. I don't know where she was born, Mrs Brown says she was born in Alabama. The Stovall Family when I ~~was~~ knew them, they all lived at May Pearl Texas, not far from Wafahachie, Texas

Ellis County

Martha Stovall had two daughters:  
one name was Ethel, she lived in North Texas  
I don't ~~remember~~ the other one name: Ethel died  
in 1986 or 1987.

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I would like to know what Joe Elmar Brown (mother and father name, if you could get it for me, I never heard of speak of his (mother & father) name, ~~date~~ born when died. Where they are from anything else you find on them. (I was Strickland before married to Brown family.) Sincerely yours  
Dorothy Brown